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Abstract (en)  
A hard capsule is formed of a composition comprising a water - soluble cellulose derivative as a base, a gelling agent and a co-gelling agent. The cellulose derivative is hydroxypropylmethyl cellulose which has been exposed to light rays in the wavelength range of 200 to 760 nm. Preferably the gelling agent is purified carrageenan. The capsule has aesthetic outer appearance or whiteness.

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